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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures dated May 5, 2004, Applicants submit the following:

- (1) Declaration regarding Sequence Listing;
- (2) Paper copy of Sequence Listing (94 pages); and
- (3) Computer Readable Form of Sequence Listing.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.